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| FY 2005 <i>(Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)</i> | | 76867/20092 |
| Application Number | 10/047,056 | Filed January 14, 2002 |
| For SEQUENTIAL PLACEMENT OF GROUPS OF SYMBOLS GAMING MACHINE | | |
| Art Unit | 3713 | Examiner Xuan Marian Thai |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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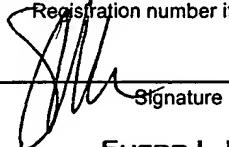
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| Art Unit | 3713 |
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